



# Higher Education Brochure

*Effective learning  
in a relaxed,  
friendly  
atmosphere.*



**BTEC HNC & HND**

**Higher Education**

**University Preparation**

**ETC International College**

Accredited by the  
 **BRITISH  
COUNCIL**  
for the teaching  
of English in the UK



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# Welcome to ETC

GREAT TEACHING | CLEAR PROGRESS | EXCELLENT SERVICE

# Stunning location

GOLDEN BEACHES | 2 HOURS FROM LONDON

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ETC, accredited by the British Council for teaching English as a foreign language in the UK, is a specialist language college, established in 1989.

We are passionate about language learning and we aim to deliver professional teaching in a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. Choosing to study with us means you can expect great teaching, clear progress and excellent service.

We pride ourselves on offering high quality tuition and service, which are proven through our regular inspections by the British Council and ISI. Being a member of English UK also ensures these standards remain high.

## HISTORY

ETC is a family run business, which started with 1 student in 1989. We have come a long way since then, now with 4 buildings, over 40 classrooms and thousands of students studying at ETC each year.

Our course offering is also evolving. Not only do we offer the sought after General English and Exam Preparation courses, but we also have available specialist courses for professionals, university preparation for students and have recently added BTEC accredited HNC and HND courses to our repertoire.

ETC International College is continuously expanding to provide relevant courses to an ever-evolving world.

ETC is in a prime location near Bournemouth town centre and a short walk from the award winning golden sandy beaches. Bournemouth is one of the most popular English study destinations outside of London. In 2016 over 50,000 international students studied in Bournemouth.

<b>ETC Residence</b> 30 seconds 	<b>Town Centre</b> 4 minutes 	<b>London</b> 2 hours 	<b>Beach</b> 5 minutes 
<b>Bournemouth Station</b> 15 minutes 	<b>Summer Adult Residence</b> 15 minutes 	<b>Heathrow Airport</b> 1.5 hours 	<b>Bournemouth Library</b> 3 minutes 
<b>Oxford</b> 1.5 hours 	<b>Gatwick Airport</b> 2.5 hours 	<b>New Forest</b> 15 minutes 	<b>Southampton</b> 45 minutes 



# Accreditations

ASSURING QUALITY

## ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

The British Council runs Accreditation UK, in partnership with English UK, to ensure all accredited centres maintain or exceed quality standards in areas such as:

- Management
- Resources and environment
- Teaching
- Welfare and (where applicable) care of under 18s.

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As a British Council accredited school with English UK membership you can be assured of the high quality of tuition and service you will receive at ETC International College.



# Exceeding Expectations

GRADE 1 | EXCEEDS EXPECTATIONS

The ISI (Independent Schools Inspectorate) is an independent, government approved body which inspects independent schools. The ISI inspects ETC and our policies to ensure we are providing a high standard of tuition and service, but they also make it a priority to listen to the students.

## ISI INSPECTION

ETC underwent an inspection from the ISI (Independent Schools Inspectorate) in November 2012, November 2013, December 2015 and November 2016. We were awarded Grade 1 (exceeds expectations) in all areas, including:



### ISI (Independent Schools Inspectorate)

Grade 1 (Exceeds Expectations):	The quality of the curriculum, teaching and learner achievement.
Grade 1 (Exceeds Expectations):	Students' welfare, including health and safety.
Grade 1 (Exceeds Expectations):	The effectiveness of governance, leadership and management.



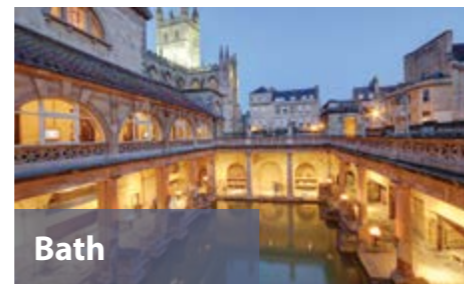
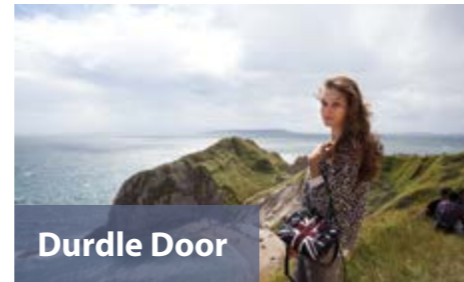
# Discover and Explore

PLAY IS JUST AS IMPORTANT AS STUDY

Perfectly located, ETC is within walking distance of the beach and Bournemouth town centre. Take some time to enjoy the 7 miles of award winning sandy beaches, the stunning views of the Jurassic coast and the blissful nature displayed in and around the New Forest and the surrounding islands: Brownsea and Studland. With London just 2 hours away and efficient transport links close by, you can explore both local and national places of interest.

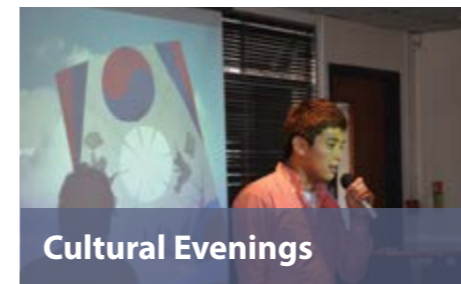
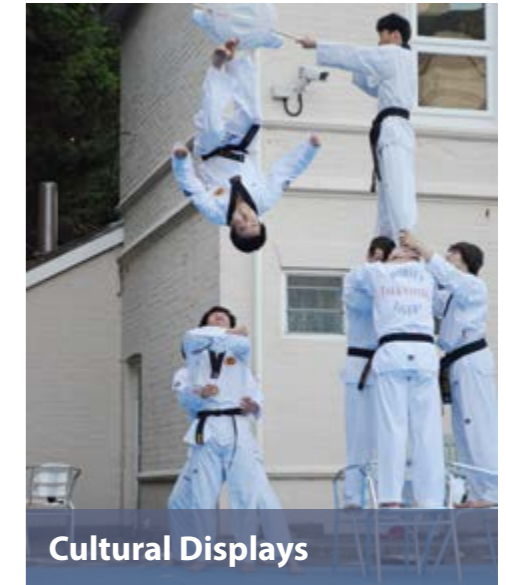
## DISCOVER THE UK

When you choose ETC and Bournemouth as your study destination you will also be choosing one of the most beautiful locations in England! ETC arranges a variety of activities and excursions so students can make the most of their time in the UK.



## ADULT ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

We offer activities and clubs (both free and chargeable) for adult students to encourage them to interact with other students and practise their English outside of the classroom.



# Facilities and Services

MODERN FACILITIES TO AID YOUR LEARNING



45  
classrooms

Cafés  
serving hot  
and cold  
food

Over  
30  
computers

Free English  
DVD Library

Free Wi-Fi throughout ETC!



ETC offers modern facilities to aid your learning. With interactive whiteboards, voice recording for accent comparison and a free DVD library, you can make the most of your learning in and outside of your lessons.

ETC has a residence right next door to the school. Benefit from staying next door to the school and only a 5 minute walk from the beach and town centre. Meet international friends in our ETC Residence.



Adult  
Activities  
Programme

4 mins from  
Town

ETC  
Residence  
next door to  
school

3  
Minibuses

ETC has two computer rooms for personal use or study throughout the day. All computers are loaded with up-to-date software, including accent comparison.

Students on our UFP, HNC and HND courses are assigned to our University Counsellor, who will help you find your university of choice, write a personal statement and complete your university application.



Refuel with our great range of nutritious food. We offer a range of hot and cold meals, snacks and refreshments in our on-site cafeteria.

Living with a family enables students to experience British lifestyle. Practise your English in a comfortable, natural setting.



We now have a fleet of 3 minibuses. This means we can provide our own transport for group airport transfers and excursions.

We have a wide range of activities and excursions on offer so make sure you check the notice boards for the schedule.

Student welfare is our top priority. We have a dedicated team of Safeguarding Officers who are on hand if you have a problem and all conversations are confidential. Our welcome boards show some of our staff members with symbols for safeguarding and first aid so you can easily find someone to talk to.



# Our Courses

THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

## COURSES FOR ALL

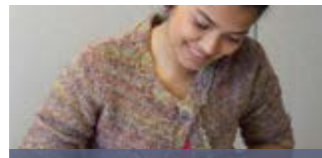
At ETC International College you will find a wide range of courses.

As well as General English and Exam Preparation Courses, we cater for hobbyists, professionals and those wishing to further their education and prepare for study at a UK university.



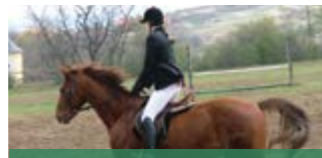
### General English

1:1  
15 hours  
18 hours  
21 hours  
30 hours



### Exam Preparation

B2 First  
C1 Advanced  
IELTS  
GESE



### Leisure Courses

Golf  
Photography  
Aromatherapy  
Tennis  
Dance



### Specialist Courses

Courses for students and professionals  
We can tailor our courses to your needs



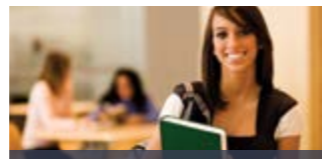
### University Preparation

Pre-Sessional  
Pre-Masters  
Business UFP  
Engineering UFP



### Higher Education

HNC / HND Business  
Year 1 / Year 2 Mechanical, Electrical and Electronic Engineering



### Further Education

Marketing & PR  
Business Studies  
Human Resources  
Tourism & Hospitality



### Teacher Training

CDC  
Trinity DipTESOL  
Trinity CertTESOL  
Delivered by our sister company, [Athena Teacher Training](#)

# Quality Teaching

DEVELOPING INSPIRATIONAL TEACHERS

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

ETC takes great care in selecting teachers that we think will bring the best out of our learners. Our staff are overseen by our professional development team, headed up by our Training and Development Director.

We strive to ensure that the highest quality of tuition is maintained and hold regular 'Professional Development Sessions', where teachers are encouraged to fine tune their knowledge of structural and functional language and stay up to date with the latest trends in methodology. We can guarantee they will continue to show sound knowledge of the linguistic systems of English as a global language.

Not only are our members of staff observed regularly by Senior Teachers and members of our Teacher Training Staff, but they have the opportunity to observe each other in order to ensure a constant exchange of ideas.

Developing our staff helps them to engage, inspire and stimulate our learners.

Our teachers understand the need for a relaxed, yet business-like classroom atmosphere, in line with the theory of how languages are learned or acquired.



# Quality Courses

MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR EDUCATION

# Pathways to University

FOLLOW YOUR ROUTE TO UNIVERSITY

## UNIVERSITY PREPARATION

Prepare for entry to a UK university with one of our University Preparation or Pre-Sessional courses. These courses include English, EAP (English for Academic Purposes) and IELTS and give you the credits you need to apply for a degree course.

## HNC / HND

ETC International College is an approved BTEC centre, offering HNC and HND courses. Successfully completing one of these courses enables you to progress to year 2 or 3 of an undergraduate degree at a UK university.

## INCLUDED IN ALL COURSES, AS STANDARD:

- ➔ Placement test
- ➔ Needs analysis
- ➔ Skills development
- ➔ Task-based activities
- ➔ Proficiency tests
- ➔ Tutorials
- ➔ Learner skills development
- ➔ Progress tests
- ➔ Homework
- ➔ Academic counselling
- ➔ Supportive error correction and constructive feedback.

## LANGUAGE MODULES within our UFP, Pre-Sessional and Pre-Masters courses:

### IELTS

Most universities require at least a 6.0 IELTS in all disciplines. We will help you achieve your requirement.

### EAP

(English for Academic Purposes)

Acquire the study skills you will need throughout your university course.

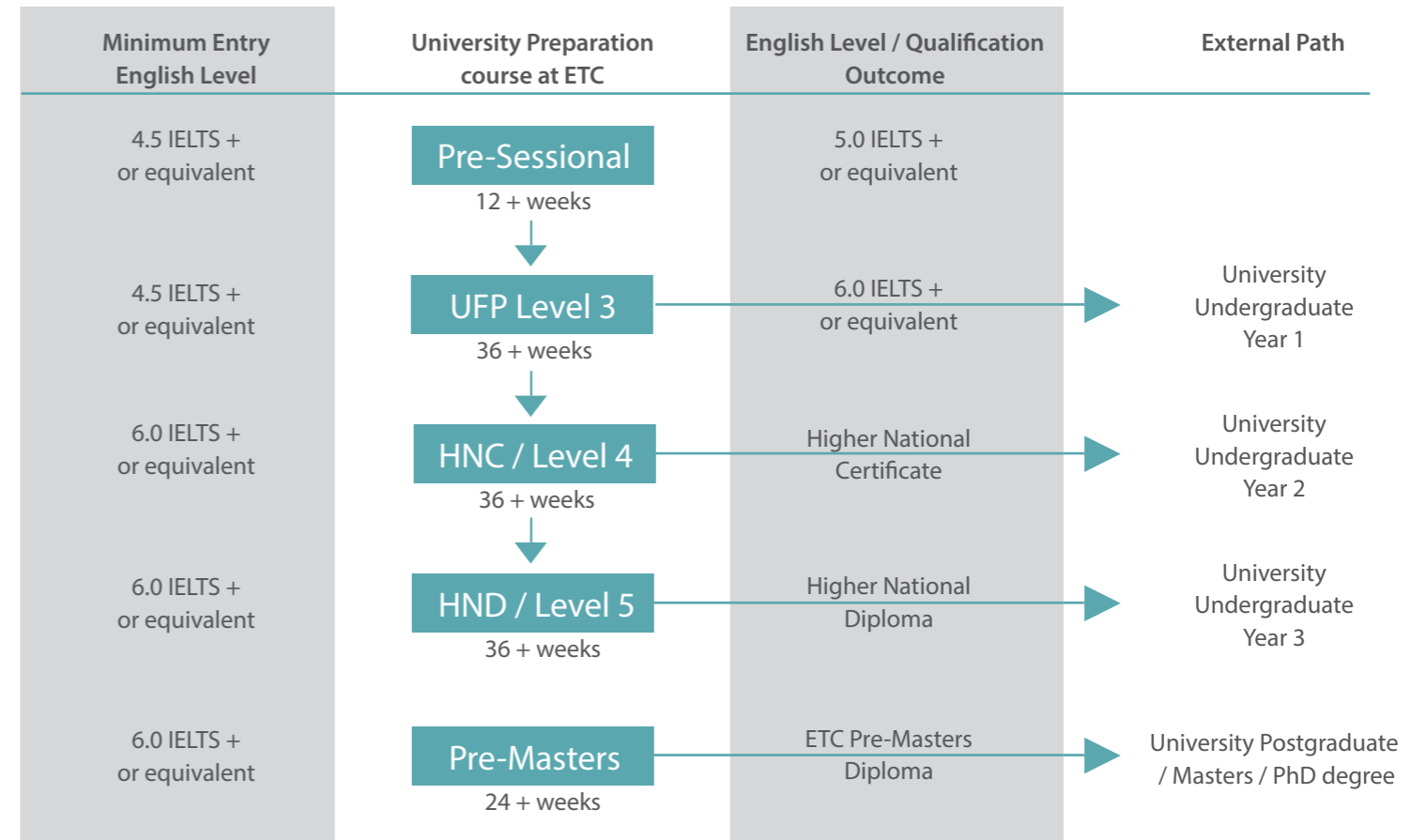
### English for Special Purposes

Study your specific subject and ensure you are up-to-date with the jargon and terminology used in these subjects.

## PERSONALISED SUPPORT

At ETC, we ensure that students receive personalised attention. We aim to provide the kind of linguistic training and support that you need in order to make the rapid progress you require and attain a good degree of fluency and accuracy in English.

ETC International College offers a range of pathways to university. Choose your path based on your current English level and qualifications. You can follow routes to higher qualifications in ETC or apply for university after successfully completing one of our preparation courses.



# University Applications

## TO UK UNIVERSITIES

ETC International College has a progression agreements with Bournemouth University and De Montfort University, which means progression is guaranteed to these universities for students to complete their degree qualification at level 6, upon successful completion of selected courses at ETC.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: UNIVERSITIES

Most Universities will ask the student for one or a combination of the following:

IELTS 6 or equivalent from an awarding body recognised by the university.

An internal university English Entrance Exam

An achieved CEFR grade of B2 from a college recognised by the university.

### UNIVERSITY COUNSELLING

Students following our Higher Education programmes are assigned to our University Counsellor, who can help you with your progression to university. Our counsellor helps with:

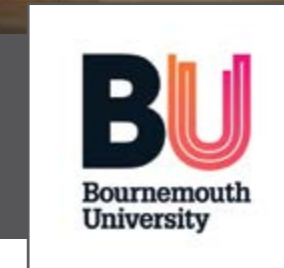
Finding the university of your choice

Writing your personal statement

Getting letters of recommendation

Completing your university application

Finding out about extra curricular activities



Pictured: Kimmeridge House at Bournemouth University.

### APPLY TO A UK UNIVERSITY

ETC has partnerships with the following universities and we can assist with your application:

- Anglia Ruskin University
- The Arts University Bournemouth
- Bangor University

- Bournemouth University
- Cardiff Metropolitan University
- Coventry University
- De Montfort University
- Kingston University
- University of Lincoln

- University of Liverpool
- Middlesex University
- Portsmouth University
- Southampton Solent
- University of South Wales
- University of Staffordshire

### OUR STUDENTS HAVE ALSO STUDIED AT...

- Cambridge University
- London School of Economics
- UCL (London)
- Warwick University
- University of Derby
- Nottingham University
- Oxford Brookes University

- University of Manchester
- University of Birmingham
- Birmingham City University
- University of Plymouth
- University of Brighton
- University of Buckingham
- University of Nottingham

- Cardiff University
- Bournemouth and Poole College
- University of Waikato, New Zealand
- Middlesex University
- Winchester University
- University of Chichester





# EAP (English for Academic Purposes)

## BUILT INTO ALL OUR UFP COURSES

Following the EAP course will greatly enhance student ability to participate in higher education. Students will learn the appropriate skills and vastly improve their chance of gaining a higher IELTS score.

Following the EAP course provides an average progression rate of a 1.0 IELTS score increase within 12 weeks. This compares to an average score increase of 0.5 in 12 weeks on other pre-foundation English courses.

Students are taught a range of EAP study skills, including:

- Note taking
- Referencing
- Process writing
- Working in teams
- Preparing seminars
- Preparing for lectures
- Research methodology
- Structuring assignments
- Preparing and giving presentations

This course is taught according to the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR):

- Grammar
- Vocabulary
- Reading
- Writing
- Listening
- Speaking

# IELTS (International English Language Testing System)

## ACCEPTED BY UNIVERSITIES AND EMPLOYERS

IELTS is accepted by over 10,000 institutions around the world, including universities, colleges and employers in English-speaking countries and beyond. In fact, almost all universities in the UK, Australia, Canada and New Zealand accept IELTS.

You will need an IELTS qualification to get into a university in the UK and our teachers will guide you through the stages of preparation for the IELTS exam, ensure you reach your full-potential and our university advisor will help you apply for the university course of your choice.



IELTS is recognised and **accepted** by over **10,000 institutions worldwide.**

IELTS exam preparation is included in all UFP and pre-sessional courses (providing the student has the appropriate English level).

Students will be assisted in booking their IELTS exam with a recognised Cambridge Examination Centre.

# Student Interview

## HEAR WHAT OUR STUDENTS HAVE TO SAY

**Student's name:**  
Saif Aljneibi

**Where are you from?**  
UAE

**What course are you studying at ETC?**  
UFP: Business

- What is your experience of the UFP Business course so far?**  
The course is good so far, there are a lot of students from different countries. So there is a nice mix of culture and the service here is great.  
I like the different subjects and different ways of teaching, since not everything is done by learning from the book. There is more interactive and visual learning.
- Have your language skills & knowledge improved since the start of your course?**  
My English has improved greatly and so has my knowledge.
- What, specifically, has helped you to improve?**  
Classes have different nationalities in them and we speak English to each other and practise in our breaks and lunch.
- How does this course map onto your academic/career progression after ETC?**  
This will allow me to go university and then study here in the UK.
- Would you recommend others to study at ETC International College?**  
Yes, I would.
- How would you best describe your experience at ETC?**  
It's a nice town, there are great people, a lovely learning atmosphere. Learning more about British culture has also been great fun.



# Pre-Sessional

This course will equip students with the necessary skills to be successful in a UK or English speaking university at undergraduate or postgraduate levels of education (dependent on the student's current qualifications).

## Course Duration

12 weeks

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** High School Diploma Year 12 / RQF Level 3 or equivalent.
- **English Entry Qualification:** 4.5 IELTS or equivalent
- **Minimum Age:** 17 years +

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will receive an ETC Pre-Sessional Certificate dependent on the nature and achievement of your course of study.

You will also receive an end of course report which will show your estimated CEFR / IELTS English level according to your performance in projects and assignments. Students studying for 24 weeks will receive a Diploma Award.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff teaching EAP have at least a Diploma in Teaching English as a Foreign Language, such as a DipTESOL or DELTA or a relative Masters Degree.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

Staff teaching 'English for' subjects have a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification and qualifications or experience in the subject area they are teaching.

## Pre-Sessional Modules

The Pre-Sessional course includes 4 modules:

- English for Academic Purposes: EAP Reading
- English for Academic Purposes: EAP Writing
- English for Academic Purposes: EAP Listening
- English for Academic Purposes: EAP Speaking
- English
- IELTS
- English for Special Purposes
- ICT (Information Communication Technology)

## English, EAP and IELTS

English, EAP and IELTS are included in this course (dependent on the student's English level). Please see page 14 for further details.

## English for Special Purposes

Students can choose a specialist subject, related to their intended university course, to study in the English for Special Purposes module. Students will learn English for their subject, including specialist language used in the industry.

Students can choose from a variety of fields, such as:

- English for Law
- English for Military
- English for Tourism
- English for Business
- English for Medicine
- English for Management
- English for Finance/Accounting
- English for Information Technology
- English for Human Resources Management
- English for Media and Communications/Journalism

## Special Requirements

We are usually able to cater for other specialist topics. If you have a special requirement please ask.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £3,700 per 12 week course (this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £3,600 per 12 week course.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

# Pre-Masters

The course prepares students for progression to a postgraduate / Masters / PhD Degree, RQF level 7.

## Course Duration

24 weeks or 36 weeks

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Degree or RQF level 6 equivalent
- **English Entry Qualification:** Dependent on course duration (see below)
- **Minimum Age:** 21 years +

## Certificate

At the end of the course you will receive an ETC Pre-Master Diploma (24 week course), dependent on the nature and achievement of your course of study.

You will also receive an end of course report which will show Pass, Merit or Distinction criteria according to your performance in projects and assignments. Students studying for 24 weeks will receive a Diploma Award.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff teaching EAP have at least a Diploma in Teaching English as a Foreign Language, such as a DipTESOL or DELTA or a relative Masters Degree.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Course Aim

The ETC Pre-Masters course gives students the language level and academic knowledge needed to study at postgraduate level in a UK-based university.

The main focus of the course is a 2,000 word research methodology report, followed by a 7,000 word major project in a specialism of the student's own choosing.

The course will cover the research proposal, thesis statements, research methodologies, recording & reporting results, report structure, literature reviews, statistical analysis, primary/secondary data collection/analysis, sampling frames, etc.

## English, EAP and IELTS

English, EAP and IELTS are included in this course (dependent on the student's English level). Please see page 14 for further details.

## Specialist Subjects

Students can also follow academic modules in their specialism according to the course they intend to follow at university.

Students will be taught by a specialist tutor who will provide the necessary subject content and theory to enable the student to fulfil their project objectives. Students may also pay for extra tutorial support with an academic tutor in their specialist field, where available.

The academic module will be decided from a range of topics in many different areas according to the intended university qualification (Business / Technology / Media & Communications).

## Academic Topics

Students can choose from a variety of fields, such as:

- Business
- Management
- Finance/Accounting
- Airport Management
- Information Technology
- Managing Information Systems
- Human Resources Management
- Media and Communications/Journalism
- Art
- Law
- Tourism
- Logistics
- Marketing
- Economics
- Engineering

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

Duration	Tuition Fee for New Students (includes £100 non refundable enrolment fee).	Tuition Fee for Existing or Continuing Students
24 weeks	£9,796	£9,696
36 weeks	£14,644	£14,544

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

# University Foundation (UFP) Business

The course prepares students for studying at undergraduate degree level, RQF Level 4.

## Course Duration

36 weeks

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** RQF Level 2 or equivalent (AS-Levels / High School Diploma)
- **English Level:** 4.5 IELTS or equivalent
- **Minimum Age:** 17 years +

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a University Foundation Diploma in Business.

This course is designed for students wishing to study Business and related subjects at undergraduate level at a UK-based university.

## Credits

Graduates will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff hold a relevant qualification at least one level above the subject level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

The ETC Business Level 3 University Foundation Programme is aimed at students wishing to enter a UK university. The course prepares students for studying at degree level.

The course includes 4 English modules and 8 Business modules.

## English, EAP and IELTS

English, EAP and IELTS are included in this course (dependent on the student's English level). Please see page 14 for further details.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

- Marketing
- Finance
- Human Resources
- Management
- Business Law
- Economics
- International Trade
- Project Management

## Typical Content

Students will typically cover the key areas of business:

- Macro/micro economics
- Supply/demand marketing structures and theories
- The Marketing Mix
- The BCG Matrix
- Financial accounting and management theories (tall/flat structures, management styles, motivation and leadership).
- Contract law
- GANTT Charts
- Specialisation
- Business theories & practices
- Business activities
- Case studies

It is possible for students to substitute modules from other UFP programmes depending on the student's needs.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,644  
(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,544 per annum.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

# University Foundation (UFP) Engineering

The course prepares students for studying at undergraduate degree level, RQF Level 4.

## Course Duration

36 weeks

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** RQF Level 2 or equivalent (AS-Levels / High School Diploma)
- **English Level:** 4.5 IELTS or equivalent
- **Minimum Age:** 17 years +

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a University Foundation Diploma in Engineering.

This course is designed for students wishing to study Engineering and related subjects at undergraduate level at a UK-based university.

## Credits

Graduates will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff hold a relevant qualification at least one level above the subject level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

The ETC Engineering Level 3 University Foundation Programme is aimed at students wishing to enter a UK university. The course prepares students for studying at degree level.

The course includes 4 English modules and 8 Engineering modules.

## English, EAP and IELTS

English, EAP and IELTS are included in this course (dependent on the student's English level). Please see page 14 for further details.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

- Health and Safety in Engineering
- Technical Communications
- Mathematics
- Business & Engineering
- Managing a Technical Project
- Science
- Electronics

It is possible for students to substitute modules from other UFP programmes depending on the student's needs.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,644  
(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,544 per annum.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

# University Foundation (UFP) Media & Communications

The course prepares students for studying at undergraduate degree level, RQF Level 4.

## Course Duration

36 weeks

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** RQF Level 2 or equivalent (AS-Levels / High School Diploma)
- **English Level:** 4.5 IELTS or equivalent
- **Minimum Age:** 17 years +

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a University Foundation Diploma in Media and Communications.

This course is designed for students wishing to study Media and Communications and related subjects at undergraduate level at a UK-based university.

## Credits

Graduates of the course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff hold a relevant qualification at least one level above the subject level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

The ETC Media and Communications Level 3 University Foundation Programme is aimed at students wishing to enter a UK university. The course prepares students for studying at degree level.

The course includes 4 English modules and 8 Media and Communication modules.

## English, EAP and IELTS

English, EAP and IELTS are included in this course (dependent on the student's English level). Please see page 14 for further details.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

- Theories of communication
- Audience theory
- Representation theory
- Theories of genre
- Narrative and semiotics

The course will introduce students to a wide range of practical media skills, such as:

- Basic film making
- Editing
- Scriptwriting
- Website Development

It is possible for students to substitute modules from other UFP programmes depending on the student's needs.

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

Students will have the opportunity to create a media portfolio on their area of interest and in accordance with their chosen degree course.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,644  
(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,544 per annum.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

# University Foundation (UFP) ICT (Information, Communication Technology)

The course prepares students for studying at undergraduate degree level, RQF Level 4.

## Course Duration

36 weeks

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** RQF Level 2 or equivalent (AS-Levels / High School Diploma)
- **English Level:** 4.5 IELTS or equivalent
- **Minimum Age:** 17 years +

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a University Foundation Diploma in ICT.

This course is designed for students wishing to study ICT and related subjects at undergraduate level at a UK-based university.

## Credits

Graduates of the course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff hold a relevant qualification at least one level above the subject level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

The ETC ICT Level 3 University Foundation Programme is aimed at students wishing to enter a UK university. The course prepares students for studying at degree level.

The course includes 4 English modules and 8 ICT modules.

## English, EAP and IELTS

English, EAP and IELTS are included in this course (dependent on the student's English level). Please see page 14 for further details.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

- Information Technology Systems
- Cyber Security and Incident Management
- Programming
- Using Social Media in Business
- Computer Networking
- Business Process Modelling Tools
- Creating Systems to Manage Information
- IT Project Management

It is possible for students to substitute modules from other UFP programmes depending on the student's needs.

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

Students will have the opportunity to create a media portfolio on their area of interest and in accordance with their chosen degree course.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,644  
(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,544 per annum.

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# Pearson BTEC Level 4 HNC Business



The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

→ **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.

→ **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.

→ **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a Pearson BTEC Level 4 Higher National Certificate in Business.

## Awarding Organisation

Pearson Education Ltd.

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The BTEC Level 4 HNC Business course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a business degree or follow a career path in business.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Business and the Business Environment	15
Marketing Essentials	15
Human Resource Management	15
Management and Operations	15
Management Accounting	15
Managing a Successful Business Project	15
Business Law	15
Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English, Business and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English, Business and IT classes are included in the cost, if required.

# Pearson BTEC Level 5 HND Business



The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

→ **Qualification:** HNC or RQF Level 4 or equivalent in Business.

→ **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.

→ **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a Pearson BTEC Level 5 Higher National Diploma in Business.

## Awarding Organisation

Pearson Education Ltd.

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The BTEC Level 5 HND Business course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a business degree or follow a career path in business.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Research Project	30
Organisational Behaviour	15
Pitching and Negotiation Skills / Financial Reporting*	15
Business Strategy	15
Developing Individuals, Teams and Organisations	15
International Marketing	15
Launching a New Venture / Statistics for Management*	15

\*Depends on student bookings and / or sponsors requirements.

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English, Business and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English, Business and IT classes are included in the cost, if required.

# Pearson BTEC Level 4 HNC Electrical & Electronic Engineering



The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a Pearson BTEC Level 4 Higher National Certificate in Electrical & Electronic Engineering.

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The BTEC Level 4 HNC Electrical & Electronic Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow an engineering degree or follow a career path in Electrical & Electronic Engineering.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Engineering Design	15
Engineering Maths	15
Engineering Science	15
Managing a Professional Engineering Project	15
Fundamentals of Thermodynamics	15
Electrical and Electronic Principles	15
Digital Principles	15
Electronic Circuits and Devices	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English, maths and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English, maths and IT classes are included in the cost, if required.

# Pearson BTEC Level 5 HND Electrical & Electronic Engineering



The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC or RQF Level 4 or equivalent in Engineering.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a Pearson BTEC Level 5 Higher National Diploma in Electrical & Electronic Engineering.

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. (Students will have a total of 240 credits after successfully completing Year 1 and Year 2).

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The BTEC Level 5 HND Electrical & Electronic Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow an engineering degree or follow a career path in Electrical & Electronic Engineering

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Research Project	30
Professional Engineering Management	15
Further Mathematics	15
Industrial Power Electronics	15
Virtual Engineering	15
Industrial Systems	15
Embedded Systems	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English, maths and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English, maths and IT classes are included in the cost, if required.

# Pearson BTEC Level 4 HNC Mechanical Engineering



The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a Pearson BTEC Level 4 Higher National Certificate in Mechanical Engineering.

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The BTEC Level 4 HNC Mechanical Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow an engineering degree or follow a career path in Mechanical Engineering.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Engineering Design	15
Engineering Maths	15
Engineering Science	15
Managing a Professional Engineering Project	15
Mechanical Principles	15
Materials, Properties & Test	15
Fundamentals of Thermodynamics	15
Electrical and Electronic Principles	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English, maths and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English, maths and IT classes are included in the cost, if required.

# Pearson BTEC Level 5 HND Mechanical Engineering



The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC or RQF Level 4 or equivalent in engineering.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with a Pearson BTEC Level 5 Higher National Diploma in Mechanical Engineering.

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. (Students will have a total of 240 credits after successfully completing Year 1 and Year 2).

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The BTEC Level 5 HND Mechanical Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow an engineering degree or follow a career path in Mechanical Engineering

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Research Project	30
Professional Engineering Management	15
Advanced Mechanical Principles	15
Virtual Engineering	15
Further Mathematics	15
Industrial Systems	15
Advanced Manufacturing Technology	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £14,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £14,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English, maths and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English, maths and IT classes are included in the cost, if required.

# International Year 1 Aeronautical Engineering

The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 1 in Aeronautical Engineering.

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 1 Aeronautical Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a business degree or follow a career path in business.

## Progression

Upon successful completion of this course students can progress to the ETC International Year 2 in Aeronautical Engineering course.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Engineering Design	15
Engineering Maths	15
Engineering Science	15
Managing a Professional Engineering Project	15
Aircraft Aerodynamics	15
Aircraft Electrical Power Distribution Systems	15
Aircraft Mechanical Systems	15
Computer Aided Design (CAD) for Engineering	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £16,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £16,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English and maths after registration at ETC. Additional English and maths classes are included in the cost, if required.

# International Year 2 Aeronautical Engineering

The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC / International Year 1 in Aeronautical Engineering
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 2 in Aeronautical Engineering

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. 240 credits are awarded in total after successfully completing both Year 1 and Year 2.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 2 Aeronautical Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a business degree or follow a career path in business.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Research Project (double unit)	30
Professional Engineering Management	15
Further Mathematics	15
Aircraft Flight Control Systems	15
Aircraft Propulsion Principles and Technology	15
Aircraft Structural Integrity	15
Aircraft Gas Turbine Engine Design and Performance	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £16,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £16,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

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Students are tested in English and maths after registration at ETC. Additional English and maths classes are included in the cost, if required.

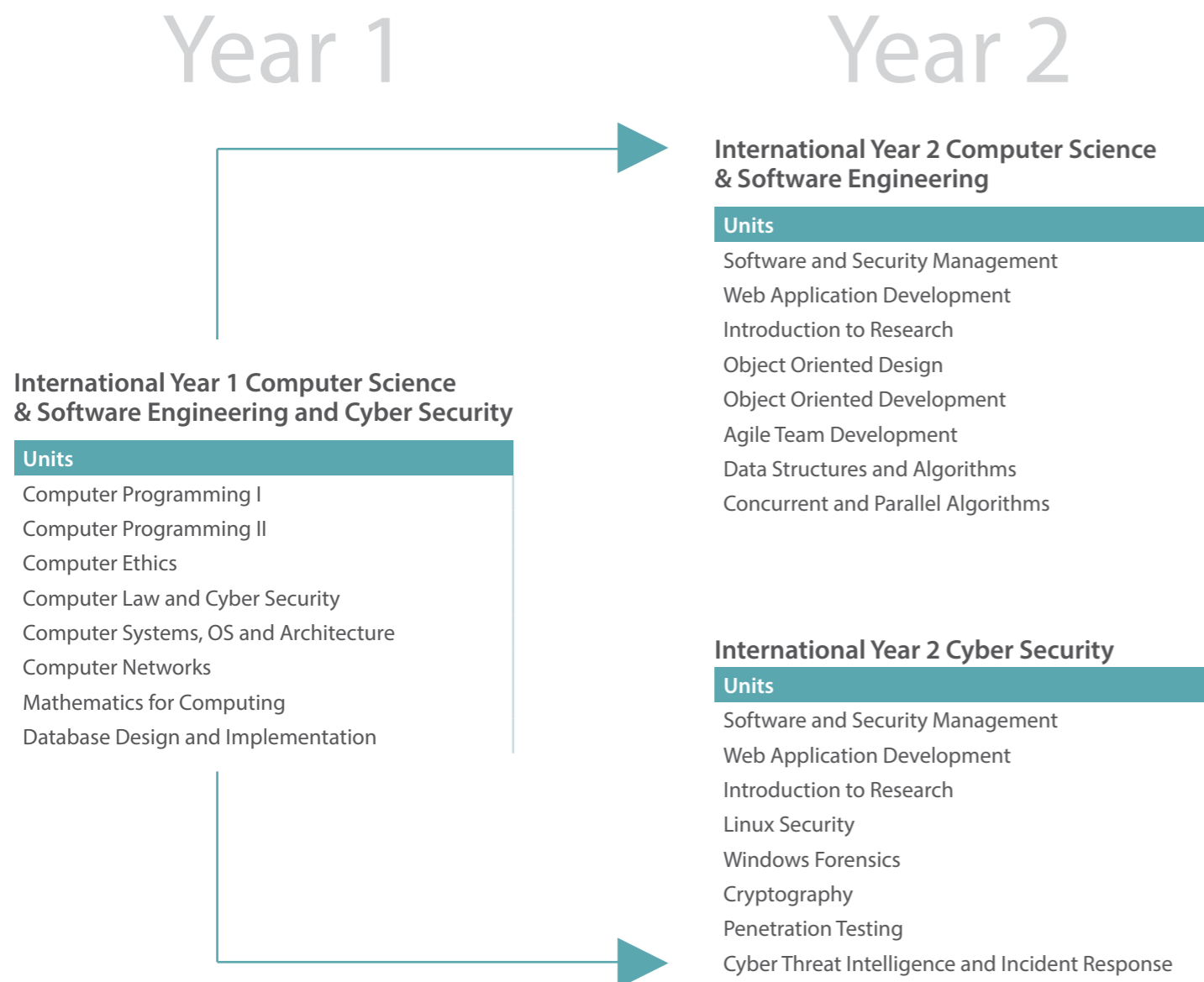


# Computing Pathways

WHICH PATH IS RIGHT FOR YOU?

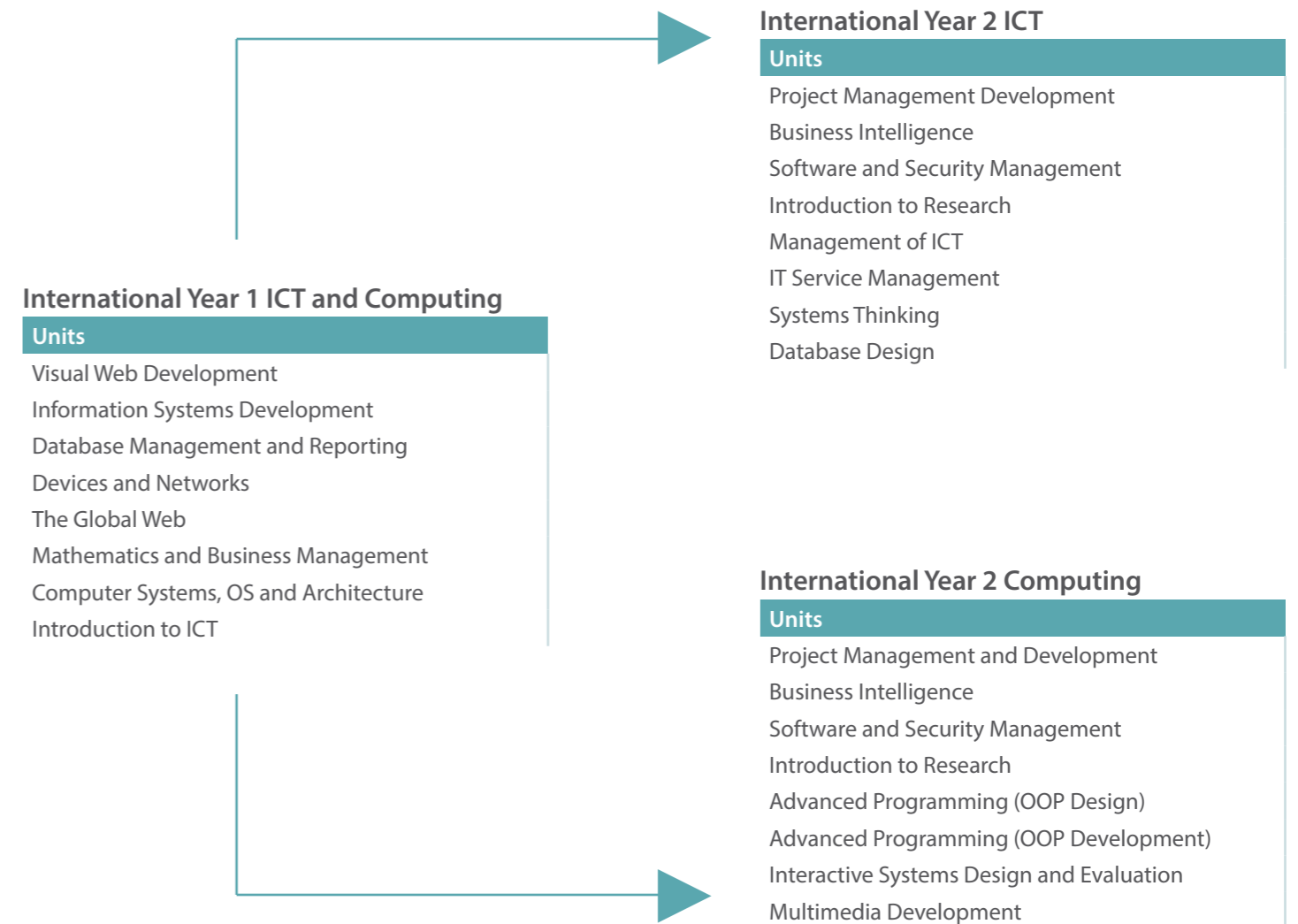
Some of our computing courses share similar units, but there are differences in each course. The course you choose and the pathway you take depends on the university you wish to attend for your third year or which career path you wish to take.

Use the diagrams to see which pathway you can follow after each Year 1 course and which units you will study to get you where you want to be. If you are unsure about anything please contact us and ask.



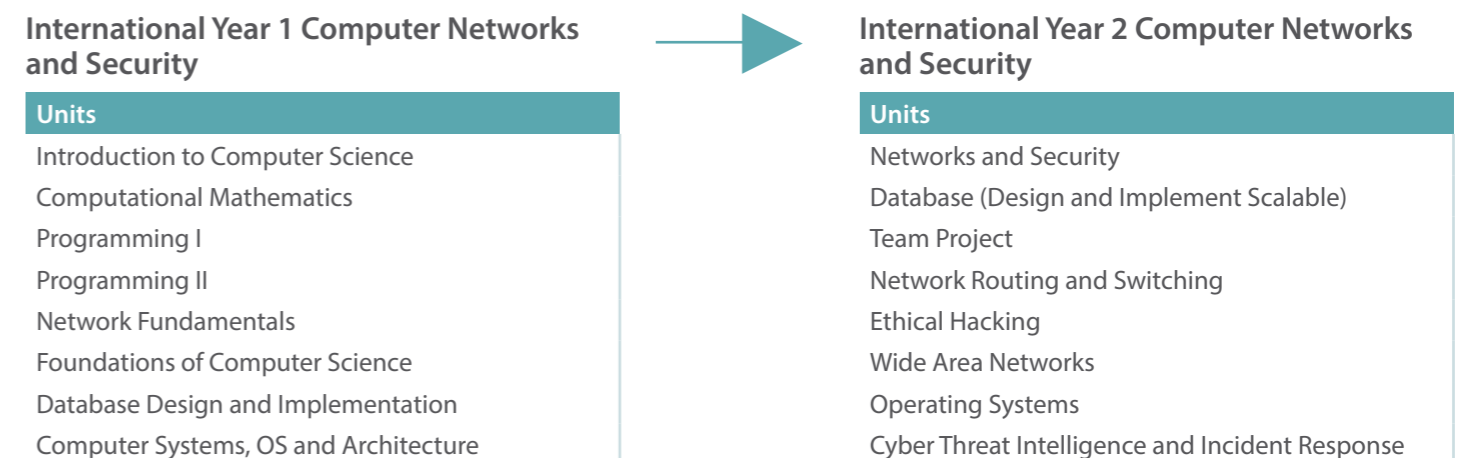
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# International Year 1 in Computer Networks and Security

The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 1 in Computer Networks and Security.

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 1 Computer Networks and Security course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

## Progression

Upon successful completion of this course students can progress to the ETC International Year 2 in Computer Networks and Security.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Introduction to Computer Science	15
Computational Mathematics	15
Programming I	15
Programming II	15
Network Fundamentals	15
Foundations of Computer Science	15
Database Design and Implementation	15
Computer Systems, OS and Architecture	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

**Tuition fees for new students:** £16,600

(this includes a £100 non-refundable enrolment fee).

**Tuition fees for existing or continuing students:** £16,500 per annum.

**Field Trips:** costs will be charged as incurred, but will not exceed £200 per annum. Field trips are optional and do not contribute to the overall assessment.

**Books:** A range of books are recommended to supplement teaching and are purchased at the discretion of the student. All recommended texts are available in the College library for reference purposes.

Students are tested in English and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English classes are included in the cost, if required.

# International Year 2 in Computer Networks and Security

The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC / International Year 1 in Computer Networks and Security or equivalent.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 2 in Computer Networks and Security

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. 240 credits are awarded in total after successfully completing both Year 1 and Year 2.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 2 in Computer Networks and Security course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Networks and Security	15
Database (Design and Implement Scalable)	15
Team Project	15
Network Routing and Switching	15
Ethical Hacking	15
Wide Area Networks	15
Operating Systems	15
Cyber Threat Intelligence and Incident Response	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

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Students are tested in English and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English classes are included in the cost, if required.

# International Year 1 Computer Science & Software Engineering and Cyber Security

The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 1 in Computer Science & Software Engineering and Cyber Security.

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

Staff come from a range of backgrounds, including academic and industry specialisms. From time to time we may invite guest lecturers or subject specific specialists to take lectures / seminars.

Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 1 Computer Science & Software Engineering and Cyber Security course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

## Progression

Upon successful completion of this course students can progress to the ETC International Year 2 in Computer Science & Software Development or ETC International Year 2 in Cyber Security Course.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Computer Programming in C (I)	15
Computer Programming in C (II)	15
Computer Ethics	15
Computer Law and Cyber Security	15
Computer Systems, Operating Systems and Architecture	15
Computer Networks	15
Mathematics for Computing	15
Database Design and Implementation	15

## Assessment

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## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

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# International Year 2 Computer Science & Software Engineering

The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC / International Year 1 in Computer Science & Software Engineering and Cyber Security or equivalent.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 2 in Computer Science & Software Engineering.

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. 240 credits are awarded in total after successfully completing both Year 1 and Year 2.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

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Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 2 Computer Science & Software Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Software and Security Management	15
Object Oriented Design	15
Object Oriented Development	15
Web Application Development	15
Agile Team Development	15
Data Structures and Algorithms	15
Concurrent and Parallel Algorithms	15
Introduction to Research	15

## Assessment

Assessment may take the form of individual and team based projects and presentations / seminars, tests, personal learning journals, exams, continuous assessment, portfolios, mind maps and organising events, which are all based on the college fair assessment policy.

## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

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Students are tested in English and IT after registration at ETC. Additional English classes are included in the cost, if required.

# Student Interview

HEAR WHAT OUR STUDENTS HAVE TO SAY

**Student's name:**  
Hai Ngo

**Where are you from?**  
Vietnam

**What course are you studying at ETC?**  
Pre-Sessional

- 1 **How did the Pre-Sessional course at ETC help in your progression to university / your chosen career path?**  
It helped me a lot in improving my English in every aspect especially listening skills for university lectures and ability to take notes.
- 2 **Did you receive Academic Counselling whilst at ETC?**  
Yes, I did.
- 3 **How did this counselling help you to achieve your career / academic goals?**  
The counselling helped me get a place at Arts University Bournemouth.
- 4 **Would you say your language skill and knowledge improved throughout your course?**  
Absolutely.
- 5 **What specifically helped your English language level improve the most?**  
Listening on radios, correcting my accents, understanding words, phrases of Native Speakers, intensive analysing essays.
- 6 **Would you recommend others to come to ETC International College?**  
I would recommend the Pre-sessional course at ETC International College.

## International Year 2 Cyber Security

The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

### Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

### Entry Requirements

- ➔ **Qualification:** HNC / International Year 1 in Computer Science & Software Engineering and Cyber Security or equivalent.
- ➔ **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- ➔ **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

### Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

### Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 2 in Cyber Security.

### Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

### Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. 240 credits are awarded in total after successfully completing both Year 1 and Year 2.

### General Level/Experience of Staff

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### Entry Points

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### Course Aim

The ETC International Year 2 Computer Science & Software Engineering course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

### Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Software and Security Management	15
Web Application Development	15
Linux Security	15
Windows Forensics	15
Cryptography	15
Penetration Testing	15
Cyber Threat Intelligence and Incident Response	15
Introduction to Research	15

Additional units might be considered by ETC International College in this course, dependent upon demand: Agile Team Development.

### Assessment

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### Fees and Other Relevant Costs

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# International Year 1 ICT and Computing

The course prepares students for progression to year 2 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 5.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** Foundation RQF Level 3 or Equivalent (A-Levels / High School Diploma), must include Maths & Science to level 3, equivalent to grade C or above.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 18 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 1 ICT and Computing certificate.

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

Staff are qualified to at least one level above to the level they are teaching and hold a relevant teaching qualification.

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Staff teaching English modules hold a CELTA or CertTESOL qualification.

## Entry Points

Students can join the course in September and January. Applications for other start dates may be considered on a case-by-case basis after assessing the individual's prior learning.

## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 1 ICT and Computing course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

## Progression

Upon successful completion of this course students can progress to the ETC International Year 2 in ICT or ETC International Year 2 in Computing Course.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Visual Web Development	15
Information Systems and Development	15
Database Management and Reporting	15
Devices and Networks	15
The Global Web	15
Mathematics and Business Management	15
Computer Systems, OS and Architecture	15
Introduction to ICT	15

## Assessment

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## Fees and Other Relevant Costs

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# International Year 2 ICT

The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

## Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

## Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC / International Year 1 in ICT and Computing.
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

## Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 2 ICT certificate.

## Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

## Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. 240 credits are awarded in total after successfully completing both Year 1 and Year 2.

## General Level/Experience of Staff

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## Entry Points

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## Course Aim

The ETC International Year 2 ICT course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

## Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Management of ICT	15
IT Service Management	15
Systems Thinking	15
Project Management and Development	15
Introduction to Research	15
Database Design	15
Business Intelligence	15
Software and Security Management	15

## Assessment

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# Student Interview

HEAR WHAT OUR STUDENTS HAVE TO SAY

**Student's name:**  
Hamad Ali

**Where are you from?**  
Qatar

**What course are you studying at ETC?**  
BTEC Mechanical Engineering

- What is your experience of the Mechanical Engineering course so far?**  
Nice and a little bit challenging. Course structure great and good teachers.
- Have your language skills & knowledge improved since the start of your course?**  
Yes, language skills have improved dramatically.
- What, specifically, has helped you to improve?**  
Teachers were the main driving force in helping with English and the English spoken in Bournemouth is not so harsh like in the North.
- How does this course map onto your academic / career progression after ETC?**  
Its helped with my math skills and I do not have a specific plan as of yet. I will take my time to make some plans and will maybe do another course.
- Would you recommend others to study at ETC International College?**  
Of course, it's a nice school and there are lovely people. The location is great and there's a nice beach.
- How would you best describe your experience at ETC?**  
It's a nice town, there're great people, a lovely learning atmosphere. Learning more about British culture has also been great fun.

## International Year 2 in Computing

The course prepares students for progression to year 3 of an appropriate degree, RQF level 6.

### Course Composition

8 modules (plus English modules, as necessary)

- 60 guided learning hours per unit (480 in total)
- 90 recommended personal study time per unit (720 in total)

Total expected hours: 1,200

Guided learning hours may be provided as lectures, seminars or tutorials.

### Entry Requirements

- **Qualification:** HNC / International Year 1 in ICT and Computing
- **English Entry Qualification:** IELTS 5.5 or equivalent / CEFR B2 - Pass in all skills.
- **Minimum Age:** 19 years +

### Course Duration

36 teaching weeks, usually spread over 1 year.

### Certificate

Upon successful completion of the course you will be presented with an ETC International Year 2 in Computing.

### Awarding Organisation

ETC International College

### Credits

Graduates of this course will receive 120 credits. 240 credits are awarded in total after successfully completing both Year 1 and Year 2.

### General Level/Experience of Staff

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### Entry Points

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### Course Aim

The ETC International Year 2 in Computing course is aimed at providing students with the knowledge and skills to follow a relevant degree or career path.

### Subjects

Students will study content in relation to the following subject areas:

Unit Name	Credits
Project Management and Development	15
Advanced Programming (OOP Design)	15
Advanced Programming (OOP Development)	15
Interactive Systems Design and Evaluation	15
Introduction to Research	15
Multimedia Development	15
Business Intelligence	15
Software and Security Management	15

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# Residence

OUR ETC RESIDENCE IS NEXT TO THE SCHOOL

The ETC Residence is located right next door to ETC; a very short walk from one building to the next. We have single, twin, triple and quadruple rooms (offering room only or bed and breakfast).

There is a member of staff on duty at all times and rooms are cleaned once a week. We offer wireless Internet in all rooms and there are study areas for those who want peace and quiet to work in.

Feeling comfortable while you are away is as important as choosing the right school.

## BENEFITS:

- CCTV
- Free Wi-Fi
- Bed and breakfast available
- Sociable atmosphere
- Right next door to ETC
- En-suite facilities in every room
- Accommodates up to 60 students
- Meet friends of different nationalities
- Bed linen and laundry service available
- Student lounge with TV & games facilities



# Homestay

EXPERIENCE A BRITISH LIFESTYLE

Living with a family enables students to experience British lifestyle and allows them to practise their English in a comfortable, natural setting.

We endeavour to accommodate our students' preferences with regards to the type of family they wish to stay with i.e. families with or without children, pets, private bathroom etc. (subject to availability).



ETC carefully selects homestays to ensure they are of a high standard.

## EXECUTIVE HOMESTAY

Executive Homestay accommodation includes single room accommodation with en-suite facilities, use of IT facilities and access to the Internet.

## BENEFITS

- Experience British culture
- Half board is included
- Homestays are located either within walking distance or on a local bus route to the town centre, making getting to ETC easy.
- Spend time with a caring family and practise your English outside of the classroom.



# Contact Us



## WHAT OUR STUDENTS SAY:

*“ The time I had at [ETC] school was absolutely fantastic. Especially the teachers are very enthusiastic and passionate in teaching English for students and introducing something British. They have delivered me not only good English language, but also more opportunities in relation to my future. Owing to such high standard education I could manage to enter University of Nottingham for my master’s course in civil engineering. Fortunately I have completed my study with good result and have found a job in Norwich. I am very much excited with the new life. ”*

**Jin Su Im**



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